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## TANNER & WILKINSON RE-ELECTED 4003 VOTES CAST

### TANNER AND WILKINSON WIN DECISIVELY

State representative candidates Tanner and Wilkinson were reelected decisively in the state elections, beating their opponents Gilgun and Scalley by over 3000 votes in each case. The only city or town to give majorities to Gilgun and Scalley was Woburn, which polled approximately 4000 more votes for each of the two democratic candidates. Below is a breakdown of the voting, by communities.

	Tan.	Wilk.	Gilg.	Scal.
Wob.	3741	3412	7595	7248
Read.	7075	6764	1583	1162
N Read.	1988	1830	967	754
Wilm.	2134	2065	1658	1419

TOTAL 14938 14071 11803 10583

(complete list of Wilmington voting results on P. 4)

### HONOR POLL - WILMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

#### SENIORS

##### High Honors

Phyllis Kimball.

##### Honors

Margery Beddeos, Geraldine Bergen, Ann Bourassa, Marie Deegan, Ann Gatta, June Goss, Mary Hartnett, Eleanor Kirkell, Marie Micallizzi, Harold Murray, Patricia Murray, Freda Shepherd, Jane Stevens, Patricia Walsh.

##### Honorable Mention

Charles Ballou, Robert Barboza, Russell Gould, Joan Hunnefeld, Joan Nims, Shirley Park, Robert Peck.

#### JUNIORS

##### Honors

Daniel Burbine, Parker Prindle, Philip Tupper.

##### Honorable Mention

James Coombs, Robert Cornish, Virginia Dawson, James Day, Edward DeAngelis, Phyllis Doucette, Mary Driscoll, Joanne Enos, Texann Hancock, Florence Justice, Carol McKay, Carol Mingo, Gerald Mosey, Harold White.

#### SOPHOMORES

##### High Honors

David Hartwell, Linwood Kemp, Pollyanna Smith.

##### Honors

Michael Bodnar, Thomas Fuller

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JIMMY SHINE BECOMES COMMANDER OF DISTRICT FOUR, DAV.

COMMANDER JAMES SHINE, OF DISTRICT FOUR, DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS, TOGETHER WITH MEMBERS OF HIS STAFF, AFTER HIS INSTALLATION IN THE HERBERT C BARROWS AUDITORIUM LAST SUNDAY. COMMANDER SHINE IS NOW THE SUPREME OFFICER OF THE DAV IN THE NORTHEASTERN PART OF MASSACHUSETTS. SHINE (KNEELING, CENTER), WHO LIVES ON GROVE AVENUE HAS ANOTHER GROVE AVENUE MAN ON HIS STAFF, DISTRICT ADJUTANT JOHN J DAVIS (LEFT REAR WITH DARK CAP). OTHERS IN PICTURE ARE (FR. L TO R) JR VICE COMMANDER HARRY L CLEMENT, CHAPLAIN WARREN J SULLIVAN, SENIOR VICE COMMANDER CHARLES SWENSON, O.O.D. CARLTON MACAULEY. REAR ROW JOHN S PANAGIOTOU, ALBERT S WEST, JOHN J DAVIS, E ELMER BALDWIN, ARTHUR I ARNOLD, JERRY LYNCH, ARMAND PAINCHAUD, I KEIZER.

### CIVIL DEFENSE EVACUATION

The Wilmington Civil Defense Program, directed by Rene Larivee, staged an evacuation of over 65 men, women and children last Saturday afternoon in order to test communications and coordinate the different services involved in the evacuation.

Director Larivee sent out the 'general alarm' from the Town Hall at 12:30 to the five civil defense transmitters, which were scattered in different parts of Wilmington. As soon as the alarm was received, word was spread to the families to be evacuated, who had previously volunteered for the job. They then followed the zone wardens to Camp Forty Acres, where they were fed by Boy Scout Troops 56 and 57. The Selectmen toured and observed all phases of the evacuation.

### uation.

According to Mr Larivee, the evacuation for the most part ran very smoothly. The most important accomplishment, however, was what was learned as a result of it - about both communications and coordination.

### SELECTMEN WORK ON 1957 ROAD PROGRAM

The Board of Selectmen, Monday night, had only one item on the agenda of business, according to informed reports. The town voted last spring in Town Meeting that certain streets should be completed without resorting to the Betterment Plan, with the provision that no more money be spent than would represent in any one year \$1 on the tax rate.

The problem facing the Selectmen is 'Which streets do we choose?'

### BALDWIN CIVIC TO HEAR READING LIGHT SPEAKER NOV 13

The Baldwin Civic Association on Tuesday, Nov 13, will hear Mr. Philip Wilcox, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Reading Municipal Light Board, discuss Reading's problems and

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4003 votes, the most ever cast in Wilmington's history, was the count Tuesday night at 8 pm. 92.7% of the eligible voters cast their ballots, in what was locally a Republican victory. The total number of registered voters was 4312. 57 absentee ballots were cast.

An impressive list of tellers (32) worked efficiently, together with all the Selectmen, to complete the tally by the amazingly early time of 11:32 pm. Selectman Charles Black announced the final vote.

Selectman Frank Hagerty declared the polls open at 6 am, and Mrs Wavie Drew declared them closed at 8 pm. The first voter was Officer Charles Ellsworth, and the last Stanley White of Roosevelt Road.

Voting was steady throughout the day. A long line developed through the last hours, but at the last minutes it dwindled rapidly. White reached the first set of tellers at just 8 pm and he was the last man in the line.

The new High School gymnasium was used for voting for the first time in other than local voting.

### OPEN HOUSE AT THE HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

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### THE TOWN MEETING AND SLIGHTLY RED FACES

By which we include our own. We heard the  
Chairman of the Finance Committee to say that  
no one had attended the public hearing. We  
are assured that what he said was "there was  
no time for a public hearing, and no one at-  
tended our meeting".

But then--we are told by others who sat a few  
rows back from us that they couldn't hear him  
at all.

The presentation of the principal article in  
that town meeting (Article 2) was, we believe,  
the poorest we have seen, as far as principal  
legislation is concerned, in some years. The  
Town Fathers should have slightly red faces,  
for their initial part of that work.

Readers of last week's paper know that it  
took 1 hour and 54 minutes of "debate" before  
the people understood just what was happening.  
The "expert advice" of an out of town man ser-  
ved only to confuse the issue more. The ex-  
planation from the floor was not good.

It was the work of the townspeople, and fin-  
ally the work of some of the officials that  
succeeded in having the problem understood.

Had not those townspeople, groping in the dark  
asked the questions as they did the article,  
we believe, might not have passed at all, for  
there was a considerable hostility manifested  
throughout the discussion.

We give credit to Atty. Timothy Kane for fin-  
ally breaking the ice, to Robert Michleson of  
the Finance Committee, one of the people who  
owns land in the area, for clarifying certain  
points, and finally to Selectmen Hagerty, De-  
Felice and Bliss for answering questions after  
they had been asked from the floor. Also cre-  
dit is to be given to the lady who asked if  
the Selectmen and Planning Board had been un-  
animous, and to Mrs. Imbimbo for finally sens-  
ing that the time to vote had arrived.

#### What It Means

To those who still may not understand, let it

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be said that the Redevelopment Plan, as voted,  
can have no concrete action until it again  
comes to a vote before the town. We gave the  
Selectmen the right to appoint a board of five  
members, on a temporary basis, with new mem-  
bers to be elected at the Town Meeting next  
March.

This board will start the preliminary work  
towards the Redevelopment of Wilmington Squ-  
are, acting under the provisions of a Federal  
Law which was, we believe proposed by the late  
Senator Taft of Ohio. They will do the initial  
work with money provided by the Federal  
Government.

After the plans have been made they must ag-  
ain come before the Town. They can do nothing  
more until the town gives approval. If the  
Town approves of their plans, and if the State  
then approves of them and then if the Federal  
government approves, Wilmington may have a Re-  
development of Wilmington Square. All this  
will take time, and the public will be able to  
keep their finger on the pulse, in a manner of  
speaking, while this is going on.

If all these preliminaries are completed, and  
meet the approval of the Town, the State, and  
the Federal Government, the Federal Government  
the State and the Town will then share part  
of the costs of Redevelopment. Part of those  
costs will be the initial grant, thought to be  
perhaps 10 to 15 thousand dollars, which the  
Town authorized the board to ask for, last  
week. But--if the Town, the State, and the  
Federal Government do not approve of the plans  
submitted, for one reason or another, and the  
approval is such as not to allow for amend-  
ments, the 10 to 15 thousand dollars becomes  
an outright gift, and does not have to be re-  
paid.

What can be done with the Redevelopment Idea?  
Specifically, it is for the area around Wil-  
mington Square, from the Railroad to Rotary  
Park, between Church Street and Middlesex Ave-  
nue. Rotary Park is the only lot of land that  
cannot be included, because it does not have a  
single building on it. The area might possibly  
be extended a few hundred yards south of Church  
Street, and north of Middlesex Avenue. We  
don't say that it will be, just that this is  
within the realm of possibility.

The provisions of the law after the Town etc  
has approved of the plan, are such that land  
may be taken by eminent domain, or that the  
owners may cooperate with the Redevelopment  
Authority, to better the conditions around  
Wilmington Square. People who have their land  
taken will have the first opportunity to pur-  
chase, after the work has been done.

This is not a socialistic idea, but rather an  
idea of government and private business coop-  
erating for the good of the business men and  
of the community as a whole.

Envisaged as a result of the work will be  
such possibilities as a widening of Main St.,  
creation of proper parking areas, and creation

## TOWN NOTES

### Weather

The golden rod hangs, brown  
and defeated, in the fields.  
Under the pines is a mat of  
fresh dropped needles, pro-  
tecting the ground, and soon  
to become food for future  
years for other pine trees.  
Winter is on its way.

Out last week saw a total of  
.38 inches of rain. When it  
was warm it was foggy. When it  
was cold it wasn't.

### Hunting

Our hunters roam the woods,  
looking for game, and the wise  
pheasants are always where the  
hunter isn't. We have seen  
them crossing the streets be-  
fore us - they must know that  
we are unarmed.

Deer have been reported again  
in Wilmington, but of course  
they are out of season - we  
never report where they are -  
of course. Our deer hunters  
continue to haunt the woods of  
Maine and New Hampshire. Clar-  
ence Doucette brought back a  
fine doe, from New Hampshire  
last week.

### Parking

While the Town Fathers are  
busy trying to get a Redevel-  
opment of Wilmington at least  
two of Wilmington's merchants  
are going ahead on their own.  
The two latest are the Church  
Street Hardware, which has  
just finished a big parking  
lot behind its store, and now  
Weinberg's which is now level-  
ing off the plot of land be-  
tween the store and Middlesex  
Avenue.

### Spike's Hunting

We reported in this column  
last week that Spike Marshall  
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of a master plan so as to make Wilmington a desirable shopping center.

There is always a fear that such a plan will hurt some people. Whether or not this will happen here this paper cannot possibly predict, but Mr Michleson, whose business is operated on land which he owns in this area argued for the idea, on the Town Hall floor. He was not afraid of it.

Mr Michleson, incidently, resigned from the Wilmington Taxpayers Association, as president several weeks ago because of this impending legislation. He wanted, we guess, to be able to stand up and talk just for himself, and not be representing the viewpoint of other people.

And While We Are At It

One of the things that could result from a Re-development of Wilmington Square would be the taking by Eminent Domain of the Right of Way, that goes through our Police-Fire Station. A prize example of how things can go wrong, this right of way has been a bone of contention between the owners and the Selectmen for some time. For our money, an act of Eminent Domain couldn't accomplish anything better than to get this mess cleared up - we still think that our Chief of Police is going to wake up one of these days to find a ten ton truck barging its way through his office wall.

The Selectmen's last effort to get this cleared up was in a sort of secret meeting, last March. The owners of the right of way wanted a bridge built, over the brook in back of the fire station. They also complained because of some newspaper report, of several years previously. This apparently led Selectman Bliss to propose that the price be barred from the meetings.

Nothing came of that meeting, as far as the land goes. Maybe something will come of the Re-development.

#### WILMINGTON TEACHERS

Last week, in this column, we discussed the position of the teachers in the Wilmington Public Schools, principally as a sort of answer to a letter from one of our readers.

We are assured by several persons who ought to know that one of the reasons Wilmington teachers leave for Greener Pastures has nothing whatsoever to do with salaries. These persons have taken the trouble to speak of this independently of each other, and, we believe without collaboration on their part.

We are not going to speak of the complaint, merely that it exists, or is supposed to exist. We believe that the Teachers Club can, if they wish, and if the reason for complaint exists, handle the situation.

#### THE NEW ALPHA

For the first time in about twenty five years our High School paper has appeared as a printed

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#### BAPTIST NEWS

First Baptist Church of Wilmington, Mass., holds services at Grange Hall, Wildwood St. Pastor is Eliot Castillo, 31 Mt. Vernon St., Reading, telephone RE 2-0363-W.

Saturday, Nov 10

BYF Social, including group attendance of Wil-Tewks football game with progressive supper and party following.

Sunday, Nov 11

10 am Church School, all ages  
11:10 am Morning worship.

6:15 pm BYF. Gordon College male quartet as special guests  
7:30 musical program by Gordon College male quartet.

Tues. Nov 13, 'Hour of Power'

#### DANA K SMITH

Funeral services for little Dana K Smith, son of Mr and Mrs Harold E Smith, Jr. of Birchwood Rd, were conducted yesterday at the Nichols Funeral Home by the Rev Stanley Commings of the Congregational Church and by Dana's uncle, David Smith, who is a student at Bangor Theological Seminary. Burial was in the family lot in Wildwood Cemetery.

Dana, just 2 years, 2 months, and 2 days old, died suddenly Monday morning, Nov 5, at the Winchester Hospital. Besides his parents, Harold E and Marion (Miller) Smith, Jr. he leaves an older brother, Wayne.

#### NEW FOOTBALL FIELD NOT READY FOR TEWKSBURY GAME

The Wilmington-Tewksbury game will not be played on the new High School football field as was hoped earlier in the year. The grass is still too tender to play on, so the game will be held at the Town Park.

A rally for the game will be held Friday night. Participants in the rally will congregate at the High School and march to the Wilmington railroad depot, where Mr McMahon, Mr Collins and the captains and coaches of the football team will give short speeches. After some cheers for the team the procession will march back to the High School, where a dummy of Tewksbury will be burned in effigy.

#### REFRESHMENTS AT OPEN HOUSE

The PTA will serve refreshments at the High School Open House Wednesday, Nov 14. Re-

freshments also will be served at most of the elementary schools, either by the PTA or by the Mothers Clubs.

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was having a grand hunting party all by himself. It seems that someone fed us a little mush, and perhaps that someone didn't like Spike.

Spike had half a dozen fellows with him, in that trip to Berlin NH. Bill Ingram brought back the deer.

## Wavie Made It

Wavie Drew, Chairman of the Board of Selectman was slated to appear on television last week, in a program with Charles Gibbons, Republican candidate for Lieutenant Governor. She didn't want any publicity about it though, for she feared that something would happen and she would not appear as slated.

She was right - the TV programs were all turned on to a speech by Stevenson, and Wavie had a trip to Boston for nothing.

But she appeared Monday night

at 7:30 pm. She reports that she wasn't nervous, and that she had a grand time. Her part of the script was to tell about Wilmington, and the women who hold town office here.

We said that Wavie wasn't nervous, because it had been our impression that she was, but she reported that she held herself stiffly so as to better see what she was doing. She enjoyed it tremendously, she says.

## Fifth Time Firster

Officer Charlie Ellsworth, of the Wilmington Gendarmes is making a record for himself. For the fifth consecutive election Ellsworth was the first person to cast a ballot. He is now looking forward to the sixth time.

Ellsworth must get up awful early in the morning - too early for us.

VETERANS DAY OBSERVANCE MONDAY  
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ELECTORS OF  
PRESIDENT  
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VICE PRESIDENT.

EISENHOWER and NIXON	Republican	2890
HASS and COZZINI	Socialist Labor	6
HOLTWICK and COOPER	Prohibition	1
STEVENSON and KEFAUVER	Democratic	1364

GOVERNOR		
FOSTER FURCOLO - of Longmeadow	Democratic	1699
SUMNER G. WHITTIER - of Essex	Republican	2258
HENNING A. BLOMEN - of Somerville	Socialist Labor	5
Mc'N. R. SHAW - of Melrose	Prohibition	1
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR		
CHARLES GIBBONS - of Stoughton	Republican	2262
ROBERT F. MURPHY - of Malden	Democratic	1653
HAROLD E. BASSETT - of Clinton	Prohibition	5
FRANCIS A. VOTANO - of Lynn	Socialist Labor	9
SECRETARY		
EDWARD J. CRONIN - of Peabody	Democratic	1896
RICHARD I. FURUSH - of Waltham	Republican	2017
EARL F. DODGE - of Boston	Prohibition	13
LAWRENCE GILFEDDER - of Boston	Socialist Labor	9
TREASURER		
JOHN F. KENNEDY - of Carlin	Democratic	1812
ROBERT H. BEAUDREAU - of Marlborough	Republican	2079
ISAAC GODDARD - of Newton	Prohibition	11
WILLY H. HOGSETH - of Saugus	Socialist Labor	8
AUDITOR		
THOMAS J. BUCKLEY - of Boston	Democratic	2099
JOSEPH A. MOBLE - of Boston	Republican	1819
JOHN B. LAUDER - of Revere	Prohibition	6
ANTHONY MARTIN - of Boston	Socialist Labor	15
ATTORNEY GENERAL		
GEORGE FINGOLD - of Concord	Republican	2231
EDWARD J. MCGORMACK, Jr. - of Boston	Democratic	1669
FRED M. INGERSOLL - of Lynn	Socialist Labor	4
HOWARD B. RAND - of Haverhill	Prohibition	5
CONGRESSMAN		
EDITH NOURSE ROGERS - of Lowell	Republican	2059
LAWRENCE E. CONCORAN - of Arlington	Democratic	985
COUNCILLOR		
JOSEPH RAY CRIMMINS - of Somerville	Democratic	1749
LAWRENCE W. LLOYD - of Melrose	Republican	2019
SENATOR		
JOSEPH M. CURLEY - of Woburn	Democratic	1814
CHARLES E. FERGUSON - of Lexington	Republican	2010
REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT		
FRANK D. TANNER - of Reading	Republican	2134
CHARLES E. WILKINSON - of Reading	Republican	2065
FREDERICK V. GILGUN - of Woburn	Democratic	1658
WILLIAM J. SCALLEY - of Woburn	Democratic	1419
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS		
WILLIAM G. ANDREW - of Cambridge	Republican	2081
H. HERBERT APPLIN - of Woburn	Republican	1887
EDWARD L. BUCKLEY - of Somerville	Democratic	1676
PATRICK JOSEPH MCGILCHNEY - of Lowell	Democratic	1605
SHERIFF		
HOWARD W. FITZPATRICK - of Malden	Democratic	2054
JOHN FREDERICK CAHILL - of Belmont	Republican	1792
DISTRICT ATTORNEY		
EPHRAIM MARTIN - of Belmont	Republican	1910
JAMES L. O'NEA, Jr. - of Lowell	Democratic	1964

QUESTION NO. 1		
A. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
B. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
C. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 2		
D. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
E. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
F. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 3		
G. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
H. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
I. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 4		
J. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
K. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
L. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 5		
M. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
N. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
O. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 6		
P. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
Q. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
R. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 7		
S. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
T. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
U. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 8		
V. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
W. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
X. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 9		
Y. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
Z. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
AA. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 10		
AB. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
AC. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
AD. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

QUESTION NO. 11		
AE. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?	YES	197
	NO	267
AF. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?	YES	753
	NO	2993
AG. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, as called, not to be drunk on the premises?	YES	1997
	NO	992

## 4-H COOKIE DRIVE

A 4-H county cookie drive will begin on Nov 12th and run until the 20th. The cookies will sell for 35¢ a box, or three for a dollar. Proceeds will be used mainly for the renovation and development of Camp Middlesex in Ashby, as well as the Williams 4-H Center in Westford; however, some of the money will be set aside for the Wilmington 4-H groups.

piece, instead of being mimeographed. It was printed by the students in the high school print shop, and we call it a real workman-like bit of printing. The title on the Masthead is "The New Alpha".

The Alpha, of Wilmington High Achool is a paper that does not have to hang its head, in shame. It has been published now for about 35 years. When we were a youngster, back in the 1920's it was the town newspaper, printed on slick coated paper, and published weekly. It was a strictly commercial proposition, with every pupil supposed to be a reporter and advertising agent. The printing was commercially done, by, we believe, the Wakefield Daily Item press.

To this day, we believe, the Alpha still holds the record, in the United States of being the only weekly high school paper ever published. The issue now is monthly, and probably will remain so, but the present publishers have a glamorous past, on which to look back.

One of the editors of that paper, so many years ago was Edward C Manning, now a Superintendent of Schools in New Hampshire, and another was Major Sylvia Neilson, who left for overseas duty in Bavaria this week. Somehow we cannot recall any other editors who are still among the living - our memory must be getting weak.

## AVCO SELLS SOME PROPERTY

There was a news item in the New York Times last Sunday that we think may be of passing interest to our readers - AVCO has sold some of its property. The title of the story was "AVCO IS DROPPING ITS MONEY LOSERS", and it was written by Alfred R Zipser, one of the financial editors of that paper.

It related that the AVCO company, soon to locate its research plant in Wilmington, has announced that it would drop the Crosley and Bendix Home Appliances divisions. Both of these divisions, according to Victor Emmanuel, president and chairman of the board, have lost money consistently since the end of 1953.

The story goes on to relate similar experiences with other corporations, and their appliance subsidiaries.

AVCO at the present time has a back log of orders of \$340,000,000, an increase of 70% in the last year, in defense manufactures, according to Zipser.

## NATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK

This is the week in which the schools of the United States pause to observe National Education Week. Wilmington's schools, with the assistance of the Parent Teachers Association, the Teachers, and other interested citizens, will join in this observance, and the traditional open house will be held, Nov 13 in the Wildwood, Whitefield and Walker schools, Nov. 14th in the High School, and Nov 15th in the Swain, Buzzell, Center, Mildred Rogers and West Schools.

This will be the chance for parents to talk with the teachers of their children, to observe at first hand the classrooms in which their children study, and perhaps to get an inkling of what it is all about. Many of our parents will reflect, without a doubt, that today's schools are not what they were twenty and thirty years ago. Let us hope they make this reflection with pride.

## THE B&amp;M TRAIN SCHEDULE HEARING

The hullabaloo about the Wilmington train schedules, which even was mentioned in the New York Times, came to nothing more than a fizzle last Thursday in the hearing in the State House. Attending for Wilmington were the TM and Representatives Frank Tanner and Charles Wilkinson.

Attending for the B&M were Stanley Hitchings, General Passenger Agent, Deane Folsom, Superintendent of Passenger Transportation, and Edward Sullivan, lawyer. The passengers of the former

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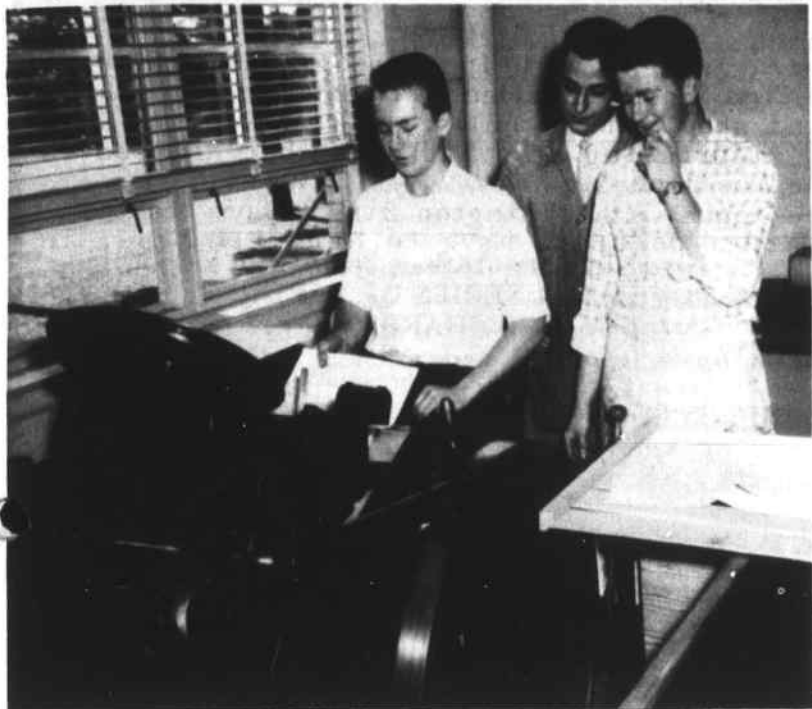
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## STUDENT COUNCIL INSTALLATION

NEWLY ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE STUDENT COUNCIL, AS THEY RECEIVED RIBBONS LAST THURSDAY SIGNIFYING THEIR ADMITTANCE TO THE COUNCIL. RUTH HOWELL IS PLACING THE RIBBON ON ARMANDA BRABANT, REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE NINTH GRADE. THE THREE BOYS ARE (LEFT TO RIGHT) ALAN FORD (EIGHTH GRADE), ERNEST MOEGELIN (NINTH GRADE) AND, JOHN TOBEY (NINTH GRADE).

## STUDENT COUNCIL INSTALLATION

Twenty-four representatives elected by each homeroom from the seventh to twelfth grades were installed into the Student Council last Thursday, Nov. 1st at 1:30 pm in the High School Auditorium.

Seventh grade representatives were Dean Cail, William Crane, Richard Hersom, Richard MacDonald, Jeanne Rheame and Tom Southmayd; eighth grade - Joan Currier, Mauncen Charon, Alan Ford, Barbara Lynch, Marie Quinlan and Eleanor Viera; ninth grade - Armand Brabant, Eileen Cotter, Sandra Joseph, Ernest Moeglin and John Tobey; tenth grade - Nancy Bennett, Earl Hubbard, George Munroe and Ann Marie Sullivan; eleventh grade - Phyllis Doucette and Lyne Minge and twelfth grade - Joan Hunnefeld. They join the previously elected officers of

the student council, Sam Cavallaro (Pres.), Frank Hall (V. Pres.), Nick DeFelice (Treas.) and Sara Jane Marsh (Sec.).

Besides the installation itself, the ceremony included speeches by Mr Collins, Mr McMahon and Dr Kenneth Iverson of Harvard.

Music was provided by Sandra Joseph, who sang the song, 'The House I Live in' and a small combo made up of John Kerr, Richard Kaszyski and Robert Curtis. Ann Cavanaugh read the poem, 'America for me.'

The main speaker, Dr Iverson, talked about the importance of a good education in a world where responsible people are becoming more and more in demand. He stressed the value of basic studies, such as reading (and the proper understanding of what is read), writing and mathematics. He maintained that it is far more important

to acquire a solid foundation in subjects of this kind, instead of over-specializing in one particular field. He concluded by telling the audience not to take his word for it. 'Don't swallow my ideas whole, but at least think about them,' he said.

## HS HONOR ROLL

(cont. fr. Fr. Pg)

Alice Hamilton, Sandra Higgins, Earl Hubbard, Patricia Langis, Neil McCormack, George Munroe, Margaret Shelley, Evelyn Shepherd, Ann Marie Sullivan.

## Honorable Mention

Eugenia Emery, High McCormack, David O'Brien, Joanne Page, Albert Penny, Barbara Rugoletti, Robert Spellman, Frank Whitney.

## FRESHMEN

## High Honors

Jeanne Wood.

## Honors

Warner Allen, Karen Berg, Kathleen Bickford, Janice Buck, Michael Crotty, Edward Curtis, Judith Cutter, Richard DeLucia, Anthony DiGirolamo, Joan Dukus, Doris Elfler, Edward Fillipone, Diane Gouvea, Carol Gray, Joan Hancock, Robert Kerr, Marlene Kimball, Eileen Lepore, Judith MacMelville, Joan Marshall, Carol Randell, Angela Sanborn, John Smolski, John Tobey, Alice White.

## Honorable Mention

Almon Allard, Linda Bertrand, Dorothy Boyle, Eileen Cotter, Anne Crispo, Lorraine Doyle, Thomas Dromgoole, William Hunnefeld, Sandra Joseph, Elizabeth Kirkell, Roger Luken, Fred Massone, Donna May, Guy Micalizzi, Ernest Moeglin, Joan O'Connell, Carol Rauseo, Linda Redding.

## GRADE EIGHT

## High Honors

Carol Schiavone, Anne Volpe.

## Honors

Denise Baldwin, Joseph Beatson, Frederick Bliss, Joseph Boudreau, Lloyd Carney, Kenneth Carter, Nancy Cutter, Charles Dolan, Alan Ford, Claire Graham, Barbara Gurski, Marion Halpin, Eleanor Kemp, William Kennedy, Dixon Knight, Emily Landry, Barbara Lynch, Robert Maloney, Jon Meads, Carol Scanlon, Barbara Smith, George Szadis, Joyce Walden.

## Honorable Mention

Sandra Adams, Robert Ahern, Valerie Alden, Richard Arsenault, Paul Ballou, Barbara Bishop, Edward Casey, Maureen Charon, Judith Condrey, Jean DeAngelis, Francis Duffina, Rose Dukus, Theresa Enos, Robert Gage, Richard Giglio, Charles Graham, Diane Imbimbo, Paul Keirsted, Edward Lord, Paul Lynch, Robert McCue, Marie Quinlan, Anne Russo, Michael Stanley, Philip Sweet, Patricia Traill, George Twohig, Stephen Warren.

## SEVENTH GRADE

## High Honors

Dorothy Widger.

## Honors

Robert Blackburn, Elizabeth Brisbois, Dean Cail, Ronald Christopher, Virginia Cole, Nancy Cutter, Dennis DeLucia, Annette DiGirolamo, Diane Dromgoole, Nancy Elwell, Kevin Field, Elizabeth Flight, David Fuller, Daniel Gouvea, Carol Kelley, Katrine Keough, Ronald Knight, Elizabeth MacDonald, Richard MacDonald, Anne MacDougall, Charles McInnis, Claudette Morash, John Nelson, Jeanne Rheame, Elaine Sullivan, Lorene Wally, Beverly Wiseman, Charlene Wood, Donald Wood.

## Honorable Mention

Nancy Allen, Cheryl Bennett, Sandra Berg, Kim Burke, Donald Campbell, Cheryl Graham, Anna-

bell Hastings, Ralph Kelmon, Linda Laskey, Ellen Latta, Cheryl Lyons, Barbara MacGahan, Lorraine Matthews, Janice Mazza, Robert Mottolo, Marion Nolan, Marilyn Olson, Mary Pratt, Stephen Ridley, Kathryn Toti, Jackson Walden, Michael Wiggin, Edward Woods.

## HONOR ROLL FOR THE SWAIN SCHOOL, WILMINGTON

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Third; Judith A Kransinski  
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8:56 from North Wilmington, their friends and relatives who had signed the petition protesting removal of the train, had all presumably reached their places of work by other means. At least, none was present at the hearing, a fact marked upon by the Commissioner.

Both representatives loyally spoke for the commuters, and the TM, after commenting on the generally unsatisfactory relationship between the B&M and Wilmington, suggested that the B&M find some way to have a train stop at North Wilmington between 7:40 and 9:24 to serve way stations to Boston. The B&M presented more facts and figures than could be digested at the moment, all to prove that there were very few adversely affected by the change, that it would not be possible to have another train stop, and that more passengers are better served by the new schedule.

At the close of the hearing, the Commissioner announced that the decision was reserved until a later date.

The whole problem of getting more commuters to use trains instead of clogging already overcrowded cities with more cars seems not to have been affected in any degree by this hearing. To obtain a favorable action on this petition, the petitioners might have made their case more effective by arranging for a large attendance at the hearing and by digging out specific information. To obtain the kind of train service the community could use to advantage, a railroad study committee is needed.

#### FIRE CHIEF BACK WORKING

Fire Chief Arthur Boudreau went back to work for two hours a day on Friday, Nov. 2, after recovering partially from an operation on his back. He is still wearing a cast on his back, but his progress is much more rapid than had been expected. The cast should be removed in about a month.

#### BOY LOSES FINGER TIP AS RESULT OF FOUR YEAR OLD SPIDER BITE

Harold Coates, 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Coates of Park Street underwent surgery in the St. Johns Hospital, in Lowell, on October 30th during which the finger tip of the middle finger of his left hand was amputated.

The tip had to be amputated, because of deterioration of the , as a result of a spider bite four years ago. At that time there was a great mys-

tery as to the cause of the boy's illness, and it was feared that the whole arm would have to be amputated. He is recovering nicely.

#### GUN SHOT CHANGES MIND OF MAN FLEEING FROM ACCIDENT

A car operated by Roger A Muccio of Reading crashed into a stone wall on the property of Dr George Hathaway of 397 Salem St. on Wednesday, Oct 31st, at 11:40 pm. Upon arrival, police noticed the three occupants running along the road. Officers Balestrieri and Harvey caught up with two of them, but the third took to the woods and hid behind a tree. A shot fired in the air by one of the policemen brought him quickly out of the woods.

A wrecker was required to remove the automobile from the stone wall. Parts of the car were strewn over a fifty foot radius, but there were no injuries.

#### SCHOLARSHIP NEWS

##### NAVY ROTC APPLICATION DEADLINE NOVEMBER 17

Vice Admiral James A. Holloway announced Saturday that high school seniors and graduates had only until Nov. 17 to apply for the Navy's Reserve Officer Training Corps. Applicants will take a competitive examination on Dec. 8.

Application forms are available at all high schools, colleges, Navy recruiting stations and the office of the Chief of Naval Personnel, Washington 25.

##### GENERAL MOTORS NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PLAN

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Wilmington High School senior students, both young men and young women, who are United States citizens, and who plan or arrange to take the College Entrance Board examination for admission to a college of their choice, are eligible to compete.

Full details about the General Motors Plan, including registration dates for the examination are available to interested students from Mr. Whittredge's office.

##### METHODIST BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM TO SPONSOR 'BEAN POT' SUPPER

The boys of the Wilmington Methodist Church Basketball Team will sponsor a 'Bean Pot' supper on Saturday evening, November 10 at 6:30 p.m. Robert Smith, coach of the team has been general chairman of the supper plans where the team will raise funds to pay for the use of the gym for their practice sessions and games.

Mrs. Roland Fuller is carrying through with all the supper arrangements, while the members of the team are selling tickets.



REDI-MIX TRUCK POURING CONCRETE FOR NEW ADDITION TO THE CHARLES RIVER BREEDING CO. LAB. IN NO. WILMINGTON TO BE BUILT AT A COST OF \$50,000. THIS IS THE SECOND ADDITION IN TWO YEARS. GARNET MILLS IS THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR.



THE BRASS GETS FED

TOP BRASS OF WILMINGTON, AT CAMP FORTY ACRES, ARE READY TO DARE INDIGESTION FOR THE SAKE OF A PICTURE. LEFT TO RIGHT, FRONT, SELECTMEN CHARLIE BLACK, E HAYWOOD BLISS, NICK DE FELICE, AND MRS WAVIE DREW. NEXT TO MRS DREW IS RENE LARIVEE, CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR.

IN THE REAR IS BILL BERRY, CHIEF OF THE GROUND OBSERVOR CORPS AND BOY SCOUT COMMISSIONER FOSTER BALSAR.

BELOW IS A BORROWED TRUCK, OWNED BY INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER WHICH WAS LOANED TO THE CIVIL DEFENSE UNIT FOR THE DAY. LARIVEE WANTS A TRUCK LIKE THIS, FOR WILMINGTON'S CIVIL DEFENSE.

IN THE PICTURE ARE BILL BERRY AND ZONE WARDENS ELSIE MEDICO, RAY JOYAL, JOHN SULLIVAN, DAVID TOWNLEY, AND LARIVEE. AT THE WHEEL IS SELECTMAN BLISS.



##### WILMINGTON METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES NOVEMBER 11, 9:15 AND 11 A.M.

The Rev. Richard E. Harding, will preach on the theme: 'The Thrill of Tithing' at both worship services. Dudley Buck, lay speaker of the local church and Chairman of the Education Committee for the Annual Church Canvass, will

give a five minute talk on a layman's view of Christian Stewardship. Miss Yolandi Moe will be the soloist at the 9:15 hour and the Senior Choir under the leadership of Mrs. Wilbur T. Staveley will sing 'How Beautiful Upon the Mountain' by Harker at the 11 o'clock service. Richard Willson, tenor will sing the solo part of the anthem.

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Case No. 23462 Misc.

To all whom it may concern, and to John J Wayshnor, Mrs John J Wayshnor, James McClelland, Mrs James McClelland residences unknown, or their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by James A Hailey and Phyllis A Hailey of Reading, in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth to establish their title under a low value deed, under the provisions of G.L.(Ter. Ed.) Chapter 60, Section 80-B, running to Ernest C MacDougall, by instrument dated Nov. 3, 1941, and recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, in Book 970, Page 537; that the petitioners now hold title under deed from John J & Helen A Quigg dated October 2, 1956 and duly recorded with said Registry of Deeds, (as Document No. 238 of October 1956) and to require you to show cause why you should not bring action to try any claim or claims which you may have adverse to the petitioners' title arising out of the tax proceedings under which the petitioners' title is based:

Said petition covers two parcels of land in Town of Wilmington, in the said County of Middlesex, bounded and described as follows: Pcl. No. 1: About 10,000 Sq. Ft. of land on the northwesterly side of Beacon St., being Lots 154-157 inclusive as shown on plan of Wilmington Square Park recorded in Middlesex North District Deeds, Plan Book 28, Plan 85. Pcl. No. 2: About 5,000 Sq. Ft. of land on the northeasterly side of Beacon St., being Lots 158 and 159 as shown on Plan of Wilmington Square Park recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Plan Book 28, Plan 25.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston, (at the Court House) or in the office of the Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lowell on or before the nineteenth day of November next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or from having or enforcing any claim or claims adverse to the petitioners, their heirs or assigns, in the above described land.

And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citation be published forthwith once each week, for three successive weeks, in the Town Crier of Wilmington a newspaper published in said Town of Wilmington.

Witness, JOHN E FENTON, Esquire, Judge of said Court this eighteenth day of October 1956.

Sybil H Holmes, Recorder  
025-N1-8

## OPEN HOUSE AT GRADE SCHOOLS

During National Education week, Open House will be held on Tues, Nov 13, evening at Wildwood, Whitefield, and Walker Schools, and on Thurs Nov 15, at Swain, Buzzell, Center, Mildred Rogers, and West, on Wed, Nov 14, Open House at the High School Building. Open House hours 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

## SENIOR YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

The High School Fellowship has concluded its intense study of the Alcohol Problem by listening to a member of Alcoholic Anonymous last Sunday evening. The group passed out flyers to the voters of Wilmington urging them to vote NO on all three questions dealing with licensing the sale of liquor. The group will meet at the church on Sunday, November 11 at 7 p.m. for their regular program. The boys of this group are sponsoring a 'Bean Pot' supper to be served at the church, Saturday evening, November 10 at 6:30 p.m. Tickets may be reserved by calling, Robert Smith (8-2892); Robert Cornish (8-2241); Paul Butt (8-2221); Phillip Tupper (8-3935) or Thomas Fuller (8-2156). Following the supper a movie will be shown entitled 'The Alberta Timberlands.'

## BOWLING NEWS

The team standing for the Wilmington Womens bowling league are as follows:

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Rollers	22	10	10015
Comets	21	11	9970
Co-Eds	20	12	9921
Beedle-Baums	20	12	9889
Eager Beavers	15	17	9769
Sweater Girls	14	18	9694
Atomettes	10	22	9600
Silver Lake Rex 6	26		9437

The top ten bowlers are:

Margaret Imbimbo	90.7
Joyce Buckley	88.1
Peg Baker	87.23
Gert Sawyer	87.13
Jeanne Waugh	87.9
B. Blanchette	87.4
Mal McKie	87.2
Peg Page	86.17
Eddie Trail	86.16
Marie Dias	86.16

Individual Single	
Joyce Buckley -- 121	
Individual Triple	
Peg Baker -- 311	
Team Single - Comets	472
Team Triple - Comets	1309
Schedule for Thursday Nov 8	
is as follows:	
7 pm Eager Beavers vs Beedle-Baums.	
Co-Eds vs Silver Lake Rex	
9 pm Comets vs Atomettes	
Sweater Girls vs the Rollers	

## PUBLIC LIBRARY BULLETIN

The Public Library has posted a bulletin calling attention to the radio program 'BOOKS AND VOICES' on Thursday evenings from 9:30 to 10:00 over both WEZ and WBZA, starting, Nov. 1.

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## CO-OPERATIONAL NEWS

The North Branch will meet at the parish house at 12 noon on Thursday, with Mrs. Laurence Horton and Mrs. Joseph Jolly as hostesses.

The Men's Club will meet on Thursday at 8 p.m.

The appointments for Sunday will be as usual.

The annual L.B.S. Fair will take place next week Thursday and Friday, November 15th and 16th. The Fair opens on Thursday morning at 11:00, in the parish house and vestry, with a luncheon at noon in the vestry. Afternoon tea will be served, and an entertainment will be provided for the children in the afternoon after school. On Friday there will again be afternoon tea, followed by the usual supper. The Couples Club will present skits at the evening program, and in the late evening there will be a final auction of materials which may be left unsold.

## WILMINGTON AREA COUNCIL OF PROTESTANT CHURCHES TO MEET

The Bi-Monthly meeting of the Wilmington Area Council of Protestant Churches will meet in the home of Judson Arbo on Nickerson Avenue, Friday, November 9 at 8 p.m. Miss Olivia P. Stokes, Executive Secretary of the Department of Religious Education of the Massachusetts Council of churches will attend this meeting and speak on 'Week day Religious Education in the Public Schools.' Her coming is in conjunction with the local council plans to begin such a program in the Wilmington Schools for Protestant children and young people.

## LETTERS

AVCO RESEARCH AND ADVANCED DEVELOPMENT DIVISION  
November 5, 1956

Captain Larz Neilson  
Wilmington Town Crier  
North, Wilmington, Mass.  
Dear Larz:

A very hearty congratulation to you from me and the rest of us at Avco on the first anniversary of the publication of the Wilmington Town Crier.

We know that because of our recent move to Massachusetts our people are amongst your newest readers, but let me assure you that despite that, we are among the readers who read every line of your paper, every week.

Most sincerely,  
Ted Thorne  
Public Relations Director

## CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH FAIR

The Annual Christmas Fair will open at 11 am next Thursday, Nov 15, in the vestry and the parish house and continue through Friday, Nov. 16. The North Branch, Mrs. Charles J. Allgrove, President, is in charge of the fair this year.

On Thursday both lunch and afternoon tea will be served, and there will be entertainment for the children.

On Friday afternoon tea and supper will be served followed by an evening program, and the final auction.

A gift wrapping department, fancy work, aprons, potted plants, miscellaneous Christmas novelties, a white elephant table, food and candy, ice cream, punch and grabs, and a parcel post table will all be features of the sale.

## ADVANCE PLEDGE CANVASS BEGINS AT METHODIST CHURCH

Calls in approximately 150 homes have begun at the Methodist church in conjunction with the Annual Church Canvass to support the 1957 program of the church. The calling began on Sunday, November 4 and will be completed by the time of the Annual Canvass on Sunday, November 18. Fred Seddon, chairman of the Advance Pledge Committee has already expressed his confidence in the success of the Advance Pledging on the basis of the wonderful response of the first day of calling.

Fifty laymen of the church will meet on Friday November 9 for the first canvassers training program to be conducted by the General Chairman of the Canvass, William Stickney. Jack Randell, chairman of the canvassers Committee of the Annual Can-

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CAFETERIA MENUS  
WEEK OF NOVEMBER 12

MONDAY: NO SCHOOL

TUESDAY: Baked Macaroni and Cheese with Tomatoes, Grilled Ham Sticks, Celery Curls, Bread and Butter, Fruit and Milk

WEDNESDAY: American Style Pizza with Meat Sauce, Potato Chips, Buttered Beets, Chocolate Mounds

THURSDAY: Pepper Steak on Buttered Roll, Mashed Potatoes, Buttered Green Beans, Peach Rice Delight, Milk

FRIDAY: Orange juice, Tuna Casserole on Baking Powder Biscuits, Buttered Peas, Bread and Butter, Chocolate Covered Ice Cream, Milk

## DR. MANNING IN HAMPTON, N. H.

Dr. Edward C. Manning, W.H.S. '28, has been appointed Superintendent of Schools in Hampton, New Hampshire. This is a large Supervisory Union, including seven towns along the seacoast. His last position was Superintendent of Schools in Livermore, Maine. He was graduated Magna Cum

Lauda from Harvard in 1932 and in March of this year received his Doctor in Education from Harvard. Before becoming a superintendent he taught in Andover and Woburn.

## RAINBOW MOTHERS CLUB MEETING POSTPONED

The Rainbow Mothers Club will meet at the home of Mrs. John Randell, West Street, on November 19, instead of the regular date.

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THUMBNAIL REVIEW OF  
COMING EVENTS

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**Thursday, Nov 8**  
DAV Aux  
VFW  
CDA  
Rainbow  
Women's Club  
**Friday, Nov 9**  
Wil. Area Council of Churches  
**Saturday Nov 10**  
Final date to apply for Dis-  
abled Veteran abatements  
Meth. Bean Pot Supper  
**Sunday, Nov 11**  
Veterans' Day  
**Monday, Nov 12**  
Veterans' Day Observance  
**Tuesday, Nov 13**  
Baldwin Club, Electricity  
EWIA  
Eastern Star  
Open House at Wildwood,

Walker, and Whitefield  
Adult Open House at HS  
**Wednesday, Nov 14**  
Open House at HS  
**Thursday, Nov 15**  
Open House at Swain, Buzzell,  
Center, M. Rogers, and West  
Adult Open House at HS  
Final day to pay taxes  
without interest  
Congregational Fair  
WTHCC annual whist  
**Friday, Nov 18**  
Congregational Fair  
**Saturday, Nov 17**  
NROTC app. deadline  
**Monday, Nov 19**  
Rainbow Mothers Club  
AL Aux  
**Tuesday, Nov 20**  
VFW Aux  
**Wednesday, Nov 21**  
DAV  
Taxpayers Assoc  
**Thursday, Nov 22**  
Thanksgiving Day

Wilmington High School, and  
now works at the Liberty Mut-  
ual Insurance Company in Bos-  
ton. Mr Vatcher is a graduate  
of Lynn High School, and is  
employed by the Sweetheard  
Paper Products Company in Lynn.  
He is also a member of the VFW  
in Lynn, and has served two  
years in the Army.

After spending their honey-  
moon in the Pocono Mountains,  
the couple returned the 28th  
of October to settle on Summer  
St., in Somerville.

SWAIN SCHOOL  
(cont. fr. Pg. 5)  
GRADE 5

Spelling Bee Champion, Flor-  
ence Kelley.

Second; Carol Glidden  
Third; Janice Coe  
Fourth; Therese Baldwin

## GRADE 4

Spelling Bee Champion; Maur-  
een Glavin.

Second; Nancy Connolly  
**OPPORTUNITY CLASS**  
Spelling Bee Champion; Robert  
Elliott

Second; Deborah McCart  
**GRADE 3**

Mental Arithmetic Champion,  
Richard Pereira  
Second; Virginia Casey  
Third; John Robertson

## GRADE 5

Mental Arithmetic Champion;  
Sandra Matthews  
Second; Janice Finney  
Third; Paul Kane  
Fourth; Larz Neilson

## GRADE 4

Mental Arithmetic Champion;  
Geraldine O'Reilly  
Second; John Hamilton

## OPPORTUNITY CLASS

Mental Arithmetic Champion;  
Robert Elliott  
Second; Robert Henderson

Grade 5 - Mrs L. Iston  
High Honors

Carol Arsenault, Linda Ar-  
senault, Virginia Casey, Den-  
nis Crispo, Christine Gunn,  
Thomas Grant, Muriel Hunnefeld,  
Geraldine McCue, Eileen O'-  
Connell, Richard Silverman.

## Honors

Herbert Brown, Alice Chisholm,  
Kathleen Harrington, Barbara  
Beddoes, Donna Kirby, Martha  
Melzar, Ann Boutwell.

## Perfect Attendance

Carol Arsenault, Linda Ar-  
senault, John Bowen, Alice  
Chisholm, Dennis Crispo, Vir-  
ginia Casey, Gilbert Lewis,  
Christine Gunn, Kathleen Har-  
rington, Muriel Hunnefeld,  
John La Din, Robert Lewis,  
Geraldine Lee, Martha Melzar,  
Geraldine McCue, Raynor Met-  
calfe, Allen Park, Marion Tay-  
lor, Lorraine Yentile, Thomas  
Grant.

Grade 6 - Mr O'Laughlin  
High Honors

John Robertson, Donal Hubbard,  
Jean Laffin, Judith Krasinski,  
Virginia Valintino.

## Honors

Douglas Frost, Richard Allard,  
Arthur Zanio, Paul Lowden,  
Patricia Browne, Mary M. Sulli-  
van, Elaine Smith, Bonnie  
Coombs.

## Perfect Attendance

Bonnie Coombs, Rosemary El-  
liott, Jean Laffin, Cheryl  
Nolan, Rose Mari Pisani, Mary  
Margaret Sullivan, Elaine  
Smith, Nancy Taylor, Patricia  
Browne, John Robertson, Mich-  
ael Shaw, Jane Pilcher, Daniel  
MacKay, John Gentuso, Willard  
Fuller.

Grade 6 - Irene Rogers  
High Honors

William Durant, Paul Ross.  
**Honors**  
Joanne Cavallaro, Patricia  
Fiske, Judith Halpin, Gail Mc-  
Cormack, Patricia McCue, Marc  
Bliss, Frederick Frothen.

## Perfect Attendance

Marc Bliss, Paul Brabant,  
William Durant, Frederick  
Frothen, David Fuller, Stephen  
Hulse, Richard Lee, Richard  
Pereira, George Shaw, Michael  
Shelley, James King, Henry  
Gilhooly, Constance Baker,  
Catherine Bousfield, Joanne  
Cavallaro, Deborah Gaskill,  
Judith Halpin, Carol Hastings,  
Estelle McLaughlin, Diane  
Zaccagnini.

Grade 5 - R. E. Perry  
High Honors

David Zaino

## Honors

Mary Ann Arfivedson, Janis  
Coe, Karin Davidsen, Louise  
Henderson, Joanne Kenney, Mary  
McCauley, Mary O'Connell, Mil-  
es Anderson, Thomas Giglio.

## Perfect Attendance

Leonard Cavanaugh, Paul Kane,  
Paul Kendall, Stanley Marr,  
Michael Masse, Arthur Morris,  
Arthur Pearson, Robert Small,  
Edward Sullivan, Mary Ann  
Arfivedson, Eileen Bradley,  
Ruth Campos, Marjorie Craik,  
Karin Davidsen, Louise Hender-  
son, Dorothy Tamasi.

Grade 5 - Mr Bodenstein  
Honors

Carol Aberle, Peter Collins,  
Susan Cosman, Elliot Drew, Jon  
Fairfield, Carol Glidden,  
Kathleen Kelley, Edward Lang-  
one, Joseph Lawrence, Nancy  
Lukin, Linda Maglio, Frederic  
Neilson, Roger Starr.

## Perfect Attendance

William Bergan, Peter Collins,  
Elliot Drew, Jon Fairfield,  
Kenneth McFeeters, George  
Piotte, Elwin Rice, James Van  
Steensburg, Marie Doherty, Car-  
ol Glidden, Kathleen Kelley,  
Linda Maglio, Eleanor Young,  
Anita Menovich.

Grade 5 - Mrs O'Hearn  
High Honors

Michael Helwig, Sandra Matth-  
ews.

## Honors

Dana Atkinson, Thomas Damelio,  
John Dromgoole, Lawrence Red-  
ding, John Tautges, Ronald  
Wybert, Joan Adams, Therese  
Baldwin, Ellen Scott, Janice  
Southmayd.

## Perfect Attendance

Dana Atkinson, David Barry,  
Paul Cail, Thomas Damelio,  
Michael Doucette, John Drom-  
goole, Michael Helwig, David  
McCue, Gary Phillips, John  
Tautges, Joan Adams, Therese  
Baldwin, Linda Berry, Sandra  
DeLisle, Betty Iversen, Pat-  
ricia Kleynan, Sandra Matthews,  
Mary McLaughlin, Ellen Scott.

Grade 5 - Miss Huntley  
High Honors

Elaine McMillan, Janice  
Baldwin, Patricia Luken.

## Honors

Arthur Robson, Janice Finney,  
Judith Carney, Irene Mahoney,  
Albert Mills, Ruth Birkle,  
Donn Blometh, Esther Corum,  
Allen Hubbard.

## Perfect Attendance

Donn Blometh, Robert Nolan,  
Richard Wood, Janice Finney,  
Nancy Hastings, Elaine McMil-  
lan, Joseph Brewster, Daniel  
Rheume, Ruth Birkle, Marlene  
Galka, Jennifer Laroe, Joanne  
Preston, Allen Hubbard, An-  
thony Toti, Esther Corum, Lois  
Gallagher, Irene Mahoney.

Grade 4 - Miss Connors  
Honors

Carol Ann Carrasco, Albert  
Cuoco, Carol Ann Gingras, John  
Hamilton, Richard Hulse, Fred-  
erick Laffin, Maureen Glavin,  
Susan McGahan, Eleanor Russo,  
Norine Von Kahle.

## Perfect Attendance

Russel Hartley, Nancy Souza,  
Joseph Albana, Linda Kane,  
Susan McKenna, William Long,  
Eugene Dussault, Carol Ging-  
ras, Marion Sawyer, Richard



## CARD OF THANKS

To all our friends who have  
helped us in our hour of be-  
reavement, to the members of  
the Wilmington Fire Depart-  
ment, who attempted to save  
the life of our son Dana, our  
heartful and sincere thanks.  
Mr and Mrs Harold E Smith Jr  
and family.

Hulse, Carol Ann Carrasco,  
Maureen Glavin, Frederick Laf-  
fin, Sylvia Lennerton, Marie  
Mirisola, John Stanley, Steph-  
en Henderson, Francis Kendall.

## Grade 4 - Flynn

## High Honors

Nancy Cole, Nancy Connolly,  
Edward Izzo, Paul MacMelville,  
Geraldine O'Reilly.

## Honors

Paul Bannister, Judith Croke,  
Nancy Gielazaukas, Mary Mahon-  
ey, Jeanne Ross, Robert Cole,  
Donna Fenlon, Paul Hogman,  
Thomas Manuel, Kenneth Wilson.

## Perfect Attendance

Bruce Allgrove, Roger Creamer,  
Paul Hagman, Linda King, Thom-  
as Manuel, Dorothy Suggs, Paul  
Bannister, Robert Fitzgibbons,  
William Hennessey, Mary Mahon-  
ey, Dawn Mingo, Kenneth Wilson,  
Richard Waller, Nancy Gielaz-  
aukas.

Primary Special - Miss Leiter  
High Honors

Robert Elliot  
**Honors**  
William Temple, Deborah Mc-  
Cart, Robert Henderson.

## Perfect Attendance

Beverly Rogers, Betty Bennett,  
Dominic Corella, Charles Dug-  
gan, Robert Elliot, Robert  
Henderson, William Hunt, Ar-  
thur Rogers, William Silva,  
Stephen Whitney, John Zukoski.

## ANNUAL WHIST AT W.T.H.C.C.

The Annual Turkey and Chicken  
Whist sponsored by the Wilming-  
ton-Tewksbury Hebrew Community  
Center Auxiliary will be held  
Thursday, Nov 15 at 8 pm at  
the Community Center, Salem  
Rd, Wilmington. Admission 75¢.  
A large complete turkey din-  
ner is to be raffled, with pro-  
ceeds to go to the building  
fund. Prizes will be chicken,  
turkey, and other Thanksgiving  
foodstuffs. The public is cor-  
dially invited.

## BIRTHS

BURNS, Robert Daniel, born  
Sept 30, at Symmes Arlington  
Hospital to Mr and Mrs James W.  
Burns of 129 Burlington St,  
Lexington. Grandparents are Mr  
and Mrs John J Joyce of Har-  
nden St and Mr and Mrs Robert A  
Burns of Cambridge. Mrs J W  
Burns is the former Kathleen  
Joyce. The Burns also have 7  
year old twins, a boy and a  
girl.

ROSE, David Anthony, born Oct  
30, at Winchester Hospital, to  
Mr. and Mrs Anthony Rose, of  
High Street.



## TOM MORLEY RETIRES

TOM MORLEY, VETERAN RURAL CARRIER OF THE NORTH WIL-  
MINGTON POST OFFICE RETIRED ON OCTOBER 30TH AFTER  
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MARY ETHIER, SUBSTITUTE CLERK.

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## GRAHAM - VATCHER

In a double ring ceremony in  
the St Thomas of Villanova  
Church, Miss Roberta Catherine  
Graham, daughter of Mr and Mrs  
Ernest McDonald Graham of 37  
Lawrence St was given in mar-  
riage by her father to Mr  
Philip Hayes Vatcher, son of  
Mr and Mrs Howard Vatcher of  
48 Lawrence St, on Sunday Oct  
21st, at 3:00 pm.  
Father Regan united the cou-  
ple before an altar decorated  
with white chrysanthemums and  
calla lilies. The organist,  
Mrs Estelle Shelley, played  
the Ave Maria and Mother at  
Thy Feet is Kneeling.  
The bride wore a full train,

heavy taffeta gown covered  
with lace adorned with seed  
pearls. Her Juliette crown  
held a finger-tip veil, and  
she carried a bouquet of white  
orchids and gardenias, baby's  
breath and ivy.

The bride's attendants ap-  
peared in heavy satin gowns,  
in shades of toast, pumpkin  
and gold. Miss Jean Ryers of  
Somerville was the maid of  
honor. The bridesmaids were  
Miss Judith Graham, sister of  
the bride; the Misses Susan  
Kelly of Quincy and Miss Char-  
lene Stoedard of Dover, both  
cousins of the bride and Mrs  
Theresa Vatcher, sister-in-law  
of the groom. Miss Ellen Wis-  
hensky, a niece of the groom,  
was the flower girl.

Mr Vatcher's best man was his  
brother, Mr Howard Vatcher,  
Jr. of Lynn. The three ushers  
were Mr Charles Graham, a  
brother of the bride, Mr Bob  
Johnson of Lynn and Mr Douglas  
Godfrey of Boston. The ring  
bearer was Mr Albert paradiso,  
of Somerville.

After the wedding, the recep-  
tion was held at the Riverview  
Club in Tewksbury. Miss Shir-  
ley Godfrey, a friend of the  
bride, was in charge of the  
guest book.

The new Mrs Vatcher attended

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